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MEMORANDUM

To: Primary Care Providers and Obstetrics/Gynecology Providers
From: Ann Kern, Provider Services Network Manager
Date: July 24, 2014
**Subject: UPDATE & CORRECTION-Medroxyprogesterone Acetate (Depo Provera)
J3490-U8**

Please note that the correct billing code for Medroxyprogesterone Acetate (Depo Provera) for contraception is **J3490 with modifier U8 rather than the previously communicated code of J3940**. We apologize for any inconvenience.

The Alliance is able to accept claims with the new code effective immediately. We will not require a corrected claims form when billing with the J3490 – U8 for contraception on claims dating back to September 1, 2013. Billing limits will not apply to these rebilled claims. The recovery of J1050 will still occur during August 2014 and will be on your August 20, 2014 Remittance Advice.

Should you have any questions about this change, please contact Gabriela Chávez at (831) 755-6049 or your Provider Services Representative.